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Annual Reports

OF THE

Town of Grantham

NEW HAMPSHIRE



For the year ending

DECEMBER 31, 1972

ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

SELECTMEN, TREASURER, ROAD AGENT, AND

TRUSTEES OF THE TRUST FUNDS AND

OTHER OFFICERS

of the

Town of Grantham

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Together with the Report of the

SCHOOL BOARD

and the

VITAL STATISTICS FOR THE YEAR 1972

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TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator—Edward Hutchins

Town Clerk—B. Joey Holmes

Selectmen—Maurice D. Reney

Everett R. Reney

Paul A. Romaine

Treasurer—Earline Pillsbury

Tax Collector—Eleanor Reney

Overseer of Poor—Maurice D. Reney

Road Agent—Alfred Holmes

Trustees of the Library—Amah Howard

Loretta Strauss

Ella Reney

Librarian—Bernice M. Howe

Trustees of the Trust Funds—H. Stanley Graf

Amah Howard

Kenneth O. Barton

Supervisors of the Checklist—Ella Reney

Mathilde English

Shirley Curtis

Auditors—Shirley Curtis

Ella Reney

Police Officer—Dana Brown

Fire Chief—Carlton Benoit

Fire Warden—Kenneth O. Barton

Deputy Fire Wardens—Alfred J. Cote

Everett R. Reney

Alfred Holmes

TOWN WARRANT

To the inhabitants of the Town of Grantham, in Sullivan County, qualified to vote in Town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Grantham on Tuesday, the sixth of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

Article 1. To choose by ballot and major vote, for the ensuing three years:

- One (1) Selectman
- One (1) Trustee of the Trust Funds
- Two (2) Trustees of the Public Library
- For the ensuing year:
- Two (2) Auditors

Article 2. To vote to authorize the Selectmen to appoint a Police Officer and/or Health Officer; and to appropriate one thousand dollars (\$1,000) for same; to be used for salary, expenses and equipment purchases.

Article 3. To choose one or more Highway Agents, and all other necessary Town Officers, Agents and Committees, and to pass any vote relating thereto.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to apply for Town Road Aid and raise the sum of \$347.88 for the same, with the State contributing \$2,319.88.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise the following salaries to the following amounts:

Selectman (Chairman)	from \$300 to \$400
Selectman (Second)	from \$250 to \$350
Selectman (Third)	from \$200 to \$300
Town Clerk	from \$50 to \$100
Town Treasurer	from \$80 to \$150
Supervisors	

For Primaries & Elections to \$15 each meeting; supervisors meetings to remain the same at \$2.50 each meeting.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate

two hundred dollars (\$200) for the use of the Planning Board; such sum to be taken from Town Officers' Expenses.

Article 7. To raise and appropriate such sum of money as may be necessary to defray Town Charges.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$661.44 to become a member of the Newport Area Public Health Nursing Association.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed \$800 to continue the services of the Newport Ambulance Service.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) for the purpose of publicizing and promoting the natural advantages and resources of the Town together with other Towns in the Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to petition the State Tax Commission to have an audit made by the Division of Municipal Accounting and make an appropriation to cover the expense of such audit.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$250 for the care and maintenance of Cemeteries.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to form a committee of three for a "Solid Waste Disposal Study Committee". This Committee to work toward the establishment of a solid waste disposal system to comply with the State laws which will become effective in 1978. Said committee to present a preliminary report at 1974 Town Meeting.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate one thousand dollars (\$1,000.) to be placed in the Trust Fund for the New Dump.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to make the operation of the Town Dump a responsibility of the Road Agent.

Article 16. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the care and maintenance of the Town Dump.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.) for the purpose of painting the outside of Dunbar Library.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of thirty-five hundred dollars (\$3,500.) for the use of the Volunteer Fire Department.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate one thousand dollars (\$1,000.) for new equipment for the Fire Department and authorize the withdrawal of the amount required for this purpose from the Revenue Sharing Fund established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000.) to have an Aerial Survey Map System made.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to dispose of any tax acquired properties in any manner they deem advisable.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise six hundred dollars (\$600.) to defray the costs of street lighting.

Article 23. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of the Dunbar Library and the Librarian's salary.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000.) to be placed in the New Truck Trust Fund.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to purchase a new Town Truck by authorizing the Selectmen to withdraw the balance of funds from the Revenue Sharing Fund; to withdraw the funds from the New Truck Fund and to borrow any balance needed on a Short Term Note.

Article 26. To raise and appropriate such sum of money deemed necessary for the repairs of highways and bridges.

Article 27. To raise and appropriate such sum of money deemed necessary for Winter Maintenance of Town Highways.

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used for Old Age Assistance, Town Poor and the distribution of Surplus Food.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to hire money if necessary in anticipation of taxes.

Article 30. To hear the reports of Officers, Agents and Committees heretofore chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.

Article 31. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

MAURICE D. RENEY
EVERETT R. RENEY
PAUL A. ROMAINÉ

Selectmen of Grantham

A true copy—attest:

MAURICE D. RENEY
EVERETT R. RENEY
PAUL A. ROMAINÉ

Selectmen of Grantham

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF GRANTHAM

Appropriations and Estimates of Revenue for the Ensuing Year January 1, 1973 to December 31, 1973

Sources of Revenues	Estimated Revenue Previous Fiscal Year	Actual Revenue Previous Fiscal Year	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Fiscal Year 1973
From State:			
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 125.00	\$ 696.67	\$ 700.00
Savings Bank Tax	425.00	523.19	525.00
Meals and Rooms Tax	1,700.00	1,983.19	2,000.00
Highway Subsidy (cl. IV & V)		6,261.44	6,300.00
Reim. a/c Business Profits Tax (Town Portion)	2,000.00	2,470.00	2,500.00
Gas Tax Refund		76.09	80.00
Fire Wardens Training Meeting		30.18	30.00
From Local Sources:			
Dog Licenses	230.00	223.00	225.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	4,000.00	6,042.97	6,100.00
Resident Taxes Retained	1,000.00	951.50	1,000.00
Normal Yield Taxes Assessed	500.00	852.15	850.00
From Federal Sources:			
Revenue Sharing		2,755.00	2,800.00
Total Revenues from all Sources			
Except Property Taxes	9,980.00	22,865.38	
Amount to be Raised by Property Taxes			14,849.32
Total Revenues			\$23,110.00

Compared with
Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and
Expenditures of the Previous Year
January 1, 1972 to December 31, 1972

Purpose of Appropriation	Appropriations Previous Fiscal Year	Actual Expenditures Previous Fiscal Year	Appropriations Ensuing Fiscal Year 1973
General Government:			
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 4,500.00	\$ 4,882.18	\$ 6,000.00
Town Officers' Expenses			
Town Hall and Other Town Buildings			1,000.00
Protection of Persons and Property:			
Police Department	500.00	527.43	1,000.00
Fire Department	1,000.00	1,032.00	3,500.00
Aerial Survey Map			3,000.00
Damages and Legal Expenses			100.00
Health Department:			
Incl. Hospitals and Ambulance	666.00	619.00	1,461.44
Town Dump & Garbage Removal	750.00	1,414.00	2,000.00
Highways and Bridges:			
Town Maintenance—			
Summer and Winter	5,500.00	13,543.26	14,300.00
Street Lighting	500.00	525.39	600.00
Town Road Aid	351.00	351.51	347.88
Libraries:	400.00	378.87	400.00
Public Welfare:			
Town Poor		295.65	1,000.00
Old Age Assistance		24.50	
Public Service Enterprises:			
Cemeteries	250.00	222.00	250.00
Payment to Capital Reserve Funds			
Dump Fund	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Truck Fund	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
Total Appropriations	\$17,417.00		\$37,959.32

SUMMARY OF INVENTORY OF VALUATION**Town of Grantham in Sullivan County**

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

MAURICE D. RENEY

EVERETT R. RENEY

PAUL A. ROMAINE

Selectmen of Grantham

Land—Improved and Unimproved	\$1,394,950.00
Buildings	1,100,580.00
Public Utilities—Electric	60,140.00
House Trailers, Mobile Homes & Travel Trailers	
Assessed as Personal Property	66,450.00
Boats & Launches	2,390.00
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Total Valuation Before Exemptions Allowed	\$2,624,510.00
Total Exemptions Allowed	35,750.00
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Net Valuation on Which Tax Rate is Computed	\$2,588,760.00
Number of Inventories Distributed in 1972	320
Date 1972 Inventories were Mailed	March 14, 1972
Number of Inventories Returned in 1972	250

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS

And Taxes Assessed for the Tax Year 1972

Appropriations:

Town Officers' Salaries & Expenses	\$ 4,500.00
Police Department	500.00
Fire Department	1,000.00
Health Dept. \$300—Ambulance Service \$366	666.00
Dump and Garbage Collection	750.00
Town Maintenance:	
Summer	2,500.00
Winter	3,000.00
Street Lighting	500.00
Town Road Aid	351.00
Libraries	400.00
Cemeteries	250.00
New Buildings and Land	1,000.00
New Equipment	2,000.00
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Total Town Appropriations	\$17,417.00

Less: Estimated Revenues and Credits

Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 696.67
Savings Bank Tax	523.19
Highway Subsidy	4,798.37
Meals and Rooms Tax	1,976.00
Revenue from Yield Tax Sources	838.00
Interest Received on Taxes and Time Deposits	300.00
Dog Licenses	200.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	4,000.00
Resident Taxes Retained	1,199.00
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Total Revenues and Credits	\$14,531.23

Net Town Appropriations	2,885.77
Net School Appropriations	77,066.19
County Tax Assessment	7,866.94
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Total of Town, School and County	\$87,818.90
Deduct: Reimb. a/c Property Exempted	
1970 Spec. Session	2,471.00
Add: War Service Tax Credits	1,450.00
Add: Overlay	1,219.94
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Property Taxes to be Raised	\$88,017.84
Less: War Service Tax Credits	1,450.00
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Total Tax Commitment	\$86,567.84

Tax Rate Approved by Tax Commission \$3.40

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1972

Title of Appropriations	Appropriations	Receipts and Reimbursements	Expenditures	Unexpended Balances	Overdrafts
Town Officers' Salaries and Expenses	\$ 4,500.00		\$ 4,882.18		\$ 382.18
Police Department	500.00		527.43		27.43
Fire Department	1,000.00		1,032.00		32.00
Health & Ambulance Service	666.00		619.00	\$ 47.00	
Town Dump	750.00	\$ 714.00	1,414.00	50.00	
Town Road Maintenance					
Summer	2,500.00		2,923.85		423.85
Winter	3,000.00	153.00	5,385.24		2,232.24
Street Lighting	500.00		525.39		25.39
T. R. A.	351.00		351.51		.51
Libraries	400.00			21.13	
Old Age, Town Poor & Surplus Food Distribution			378.87		
Cemeteries	250.00		320.15		320.15
New Equipment			222.00	28.00	
Truck Fund	2,000.00		2,000.00		
Dump Fund	1,000.00		1,000.00		
	<u>\$17,417.00</u>	<u>\$ 867.00</u>	<u>\$21,581.62</u>	<u>\$ 146.13</u>	<u>\$ 3,443.75</u>

Town of Grantham**Balance****ASSETS****Cash:**

In hands of treasurer	\$35,016.34
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Capital Reserve Funds:

New Truck Fund	\$ 9,250.81	
Dump Fund	2,118.70	
Total		11,369.51

Accounts Due to the Town:

Town of Springfield—Rent of Dump	68.00
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Unredeemed Taxes:

Levy of 1971	1,448.08	
Levy of 1970	211.09	
Previous Years	288.95	
Total		1,948.12

Uncollected Taxes:

Levy of 1972, Including Resident Taxes	12,332.01
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Total Assets	<u>\$60,733.98</u>
Current Surplus, December 31, 1971	18,320.51
Current Surplus, December 31, 1972	<u>14,039.05</u>
Decrease of Surplus	\$ 4,281.46

Sheet

December 31, 1972

LIABILITIES
Accounts Owed by the Town:

Unexpended Balances of Special		
Appropriations	\$	500.00
Unexpended Revenue Sharing Funds		1,407.16
Unexpended State Highway		
Subsidy Funds		1,024.20
Due to State:		
Resident Taxes—Uncollected		198.00
2% Bond and Debt Retirement Taxes		
Uncollected	\$	180.15
Collected—not remitted		
to State Treas.		142.03
		322.18
School District Tax Payable		31,873.88
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Total Accounts Owed by the Town		\$35,325.42
Capital Reserve Funds		11,369.51
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Grand Total		\$46,694.93

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Description	Value
Town Hall, Lands & Buildings	\$ 7,500.00
Furniture and Equipment	200.00
Libraries, Lands and Buildings	5,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	500.00
Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	3,000.00
Equipment	8,500.00
Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	300.00
Equipment	4,000.00
Schools, Lands and Buildings	10,000.00
Equipment	500.00
All Lands and Buildings acquired through Tax Collector's Deeds:	
Ella G. Smith Land	500.00
Water Power Land	500.00
Hibbard Vieno Land	500.00
L. A. B. Smith Land	500.00
Vet Davis Land	300.00
Part of Greene Estate	700.00
Two Lots of Lease Land	700.00
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Total	\$43,200.00

SUMMARY OF WARRANTS
Property, Resident and Yield Taxes
Levy of 1972

Dr.

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes	\$86,394.48	
Resident Taxes	2,180.00	
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Total Warrants		\$88,574.48
Yield Taxes		1,006.17
Added Taxes:		
Property Taxes	\$ 34.00	
Resident Taxes	10.00	
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		\$ 44.00
Interest Collected on Delinquent		
Property Taxes		9.55
Penalties Collected on Resident Taxes		5.00
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Total Debits		\$89,639.20

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Remittances to Treasurer:

Property Taxes	\$74,545.29	
Resident Taxes	1,730.00	
Yield Taxes	852.15	
Interest Collected	9.55	
Penalties on Resident Taxes	5.00	
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		\$77,141.99

Abatements Made During Year:

Property Taxes	\$ 145.20	
Resident Taxes	20.00	
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		165.20

Uncollected Taxes—December 31, 1972:
(As Per Collector's List)

Property Taxes	\$11,737.99	
Resident Taxes	440.00	
Yield Taxes	154.02	
	<hr/>	12,332.01
Total Credits		<hr/> \$89,639.20

SUMMARY OF WARRANTS

Property, Resident and Yield Taxes

Levy of 1971

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes—As of
January 1, 1972:

Property Taxes	\$ 7,827.45	
Resident Taxes	450.00	
Yield Taxes	926.91	
	<hr/>	\$ 9,204.36

Added Taxes:

Resident Taxes	\$ 30.00	
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Interest Collected on Delinquent Property Taxes	\$ 297.48	
Penalties Collected on Resident Taxes	48.00	
	<hr/>	345.48

Total Debits		<hr/> \$ 9,579.84
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Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal

Year Ended December 31, 1972:

Property Taxes	\$ 8,754.36
Resident Taxes	480.00
Interest Collected During Year	297.48
Penalties on Resident Taxes	48.00
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	\$ 9,579.84

Total Credits

\$ 9,579.84

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1972

Dr.

	Tax Sale on Account of Levies of:		
	1971	1970	1969
Balance of Unredeemed Taxes January 1, 1972		\$ 211.09	\$ 234.30
Taxes Sold to Town During Current Fiscal Year	\$2,128.18		
Interest Collected After Sale	34.36		50.09
Redemption Costs	3.00		4.56
Total Debits	\$2,165.54	\$ 211.09	\$ 288.95

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Remittances to Treasurer During Year:			
Redemptions	\$ 680.10		\$ 234.30
Interest & Costs After Sale	37.36		54.65
Unredeemed Taxes—December 31, 1972	1,448.08	211.09	288.95
Total Credits	\$2,165.54	\$ 211.09	\$ 288.95

Unredeemed Taxes From Tax Sales

December 31, 1972

	— Levies of: —	
	1971	1970
Atkinson-Davis Corp.	\$ 255.90	\$ 211.09
Clifford Swenson	126.37	
Tri-State Timberland	1,065.81	
	\$1,448.08	\$ 211.09

TREASURER'S REPORT

Payments

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

Town Officers' Expenses	\$ 2,153.61
Town Officers' Salaries	2,703.57

Health:

Town Dump	1,414.00
Area Home Health Agency	253.00

Highways and Bridges:

Town Road Aid	351.51
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Town Maintenance:

Summer	\$ 2,923.85
Winter	5,385.24

8,309.09

Street Lighting

525.39

Public Welfare:

Town Poor	295.65
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Public Service Enterprises:

Ambulance Service	366.00
Library	378.87
Cemeteries	222.00
Fire Department	1,032.00
Police Dept.	527.43

Unclassified:

Taxes bought by Town	2,086.38
Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region Assoc.	25.00

Outlay for New Construction:

Equipment and Permanent Improvements:

Class V Highways	1,460.00
Highway Subsidy Fund	3,774.17
Dump Fund	1,000.00
Truck Fund	2,000.00

Payments to other Governmental Divisions:

State of N. H. Treasurer:

Resident Taxes	1,451.70
Boat Tax	2.10

Dept. Health and Welfare	24.50
Taxes paid to County	7,866.94
Payments to School District	77,554.77
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Total Payments for all purposes	\$115,777.68
Cash on hand December 31, 1972	33,609.18
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Grand Total	\$149,386.86

Detailed Statement of Receipts

Current Revenue:

From Local Taxes:

(collected and remitted to Treasurer)

Property Taxes—Current Year 1972	\$ 74,545.29
Resident Taxes 1972	1,730.00
Yield Taxes 1972	852.15
Interest collected	9.55
Penalties	5.00

Total Current Years Taxes

Collected and Remitted	\$ 77,141.99
Property Tax Previous Years	6,766.35
Interest Received on Taxes	199.11
Resident Tax	480.00
Penalties	48.00
Tax Sales Redeemed	914.40
Interest and Costs	92.01
Taxes Bought by the Town	1,988.01
Interest and Costs	98.37

From State:

Highway Subsidy Fund	4,798.37
Interest and Dividend Tax	696.67
Gas Tax Refund	76.09
Business Profits Tax	2,470.63
Fire Wardens School	30.12
Savings Bank Tax	523.19
Class V Highways	1,463.07
Rooms and Meals Tax	1,983.19
Revenue Sharing	1,406.00
Interest	1.16

From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

Dog Licenses		202.00
Motor Vehicle Permits		
1971	\$ 124.27	
1972	6,228.47	
1973	78.51	
		<u>6,431.25</u>

Total Current Revenue Receipts \$107,810.09

Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:

Town of Springfield Dump	\$ 639.00	
Y. M. C. A. Camp, Dump	75.00	
Manchester Management Corp.	153.00	
		<u>867.00</u>

Total Receipts Other Than
Current Revenue \$108,677.09
Cash on Hand January 1, 1972 42,116.93

Grand Total \$150,794.02

Receipts

Received from Town Clerk:

1972 Dog Licenses	\$ 202.00	
1971 Auto Permits	124.27	
1972 Auto Permits	6,228.47	
1973 Auto Permits	78.51	
		<u>\$ 6,633.25</u>

Received from Tax Collector:

1969 Redeemed Property	288.95	
1971 Redeemed Property	717.46	
1971 Resident Tax	480.00	
Penalties	48.00	
1971 Property Tax	6,766.35	
Interest	199.11	
1971 Taxes Bought by Town	2,086.38	
1972 Yield Taxes	852.15	
1972 Resident Tax	1,730.00	
Penalties	5.00	
1972 Property Tax	74,545.29	
Interest	9.55	
		<u>\$ 87,728.24</u>

State of New Hampshire:

Highway Subsidy Fund	4,798.37	
Interest & Dividend Tax	696.67	
Gas Tax Refund	76.09	
Business Profits Tax	2,470.68	
Fire Wardens School	30.18	
Savings Bank Tax	523.19	
Class V Highways	1,463.07	
Rooms & Meals Tax	1,983.19	
	<hr/>	\$ 12,041.44
Revenue Sharing	1,406.00	
Interest	1.16	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,407.16

Other Sources:

Town of Springfield, Dump	639.00	
Manchester Management Corp.	153.00	
Y. M. C. A. Camp, Dump	75.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 867.00

	\$108,677.09
Balance on Hand January 1, 1972	42,116.93
Receipts, January 1 to December 31, 1971	108,677.09
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	\$150,794.02
Payments, January 1 to December 31, 1972	115,777.68
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	\$ 35,016.34

Cash Book Balance	\$28,315.13
Cash on Hand	6,701.21
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	\$35,016.34

Newport Savings Bank Passbook #36122

Dec. 26, 1972 Deposit	\$1,406.00	\$1,406.00
Jan. 1, 1973 Interest	\$1.16	1,407.16
Jan. 12, 1973 Deposit	\$1,349.00	2,756.16
Revenue Sharing Fund		

EARLINE R. PILLSBURY

Treasurer

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

December 31, 1972

Motor Vehicle Tax Permits

16 1971 Auto Permits	\$ 124.27	
415 Tax Permits	6,228.47	
7 1973 Auto Permits	78.51	
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		\$ 6,431.25

Dog Licenses

38 Males @ \$2.00	\$ 76.00	
21 Spayed Females @ \$2.00	42.00	
7 Females @ \$5.00	35.00	
2 Kennels @ \$12.00	24.00	
1 Kennel @ \$20.00	20.00	
5 Penalties @ \$1.00	5.00	
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		\$ 202.00
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Total		\$ 6,633.25

B. JOEY HOLMES

Town Clerk

UNIFORM**Detailed Statement of Receipts****December 31, 1972****RECEIPTS****Current Revenue:****From Local Taxes:**

(Collected and remitted to Treasurer)

Property Taxes—Current Year—1972 \$ 74,545.29

Resident Taxes—Current Year—1972 1,730.00

Yield Taxes—Current Taxes—1972 852.15

Total Current Year's Taxes

Collected and Remitted \$ 77,127.44

Property Taxes and Yield Taxes—

Previous Years 8,754.36

Resident Taxes—Previous Years 480.00

Interest received on Delinquent Taxes 307.03

Penalties: Resident Taxes—State Head Taxes 53.00

Tax sales redeemed 1,006.41

From State:

For Highways and Bridges:

For Class V Highway maintenance 1,463.07

Highway Subsidy 4,798.37

Interest and dividends tax 696.67

Savings Bank Tax 523.19

Meals and Rooms Tax 1,983.19

Reimbursements a/c Business Profits Tax 2,470.68

All Other Receipts from State 106.27

From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

Dog Licenses 202.00

Rent of town property 867.00

Interest received on deposits 1.16

Motor vehicle permits

1971—\$ 124.27

1972— 6,228.47

1973— 78.51

6,431.25

Total Current Revenue Receipts

\$107,271.09

CLASSIFICATION**Summary of Payments****December 31, 1972****PAYMENTS****Current Maintenance Expenses:****General Government:**

Town officers' salaries	\$	2,703.57
Town officers' expenses		2,178.61

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police Department	527.43
Fire Dept., including forest fires	1,032.00

Health:

Health department, including hospitals and ambulance	619.00
Town dumps and garbage removal	1,414.00

Highways and Bridges:

T. R. A.	351.51
Town Maintenance	
Summer	\$2,923.85
Winter	5,385.24

	8,309.09
Street lighting	525.39
Libraries:	378.87

Public Welfare:

Old age assistance	24.50
Town poor	295.65

Public Service Enterprises:

Cemeteries, including hearse hire	222.00
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Unclassified:

Taxes bought by town	2,086.38
Payments to trustees of trust funds	3,000.00
All Other Current Maintenance Expenses	3,774.17

Total Current Maintenance Expenses	\$ 27,442.17
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Capital Outlay:

Highways and Bridges	
State Aid construction	1,460.00

Total Outlay Payments	\$ 1,460.00
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Detailed Statement of Receipts**December 31, 1972**

RECEIPTS**Receipts Other than Current Revenue:**

Grants from U. S. A.

Revenue Sharing 1,406.00

Total Receipts from All Sources

\$108,677.09

Cash on hand January 1, 1972

42,116.93

Grand Total

\$105,794.02

Summary of Payments**December 31, 1972****PAYMENTS****Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:**

Resident Taxes Paid		
State Treasurer 1972	\$780.75	
State Treasurer 1971	670.95	
		1,451.70
Taxes paid to County		7,866.94
State Boat Tax		2.10
Payments to School Districts		
1971 Tax	\$20,000.00	
1972 Tax	57,554.77	
		77,554.77
Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions		\$ 86,875.51
Total Payments for all Purposes		\$115,777.68
Cash on hand December 31, 1972		35,016.34
Grand Total		\$150,794.02

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

February 6, 1973

MAURICE RENEY
EVERETT RENEY
PAUL ROMAINÉ

Selectmen of Grantham

EARLINE PILLSBURY
Treasurer

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

General Government

Town Officers' Salaries:

Maurice Reney, Selectman	\$ 300.00
Everett Reney, Selectman	250.00
Paul Romaine, Selectman	200.00
Earline Pillsbury, Treasurer	80.00
B. Joey Holmes, Town Clerk	Salary & Fees 566.05
Eleanor Reney, Tax Collector	1,112.52
Shirley Curtis, Auditor	50.00
Ella Reney, Auditor	50.00
Edward Hutchins, Moderator	15.00
Ella Reney, Supervisor	30.00
Shirley Curtis, Supervisor	10.00
Mathilde English, Supervisor	22.50
Frances Pierce, Supervisor	17.50

Town Officers' Expenses:

H. A. Holt, Flags & Markers	61.69
Public Service Co., Xmas Lights	13.92
Branham Publishing Co.	10.55
N. H. Town Clerks Association	8.00
Argus-Champion	54.70
Wheeler & Clark	12.00
Gauthier & Woodard, Inc., Insurance & Bonds	569.58
Tax Collector of Plainfield	13.21
Barrett Press	453.05
Ladies Aid	14.00
Maurice Reney, Selectmen's Expenses	106.36
Zella LaForge, Deeds & Transfers	167.05
Brown & Saltmarsh	177.82
McCrillis & Eldredge, Bonds	45.00
State Tax Commission, Law Book	5.25
H. Stanley Graf, Supervisor's Meeting	2.50
Wilfred Hastings, Supervisor's Meeting	2.50
N. H. Tax Collector's Association	5.00
Kenneth Barton, Fire Warden's Meeting	60.36
State of N. H., Justice of Peace Appt.	10.00
Ben Franklin Stores, Flags	11.12

Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Association	25.00
Hugh Reney, Bulletin Board	23.00
Ella Reney, Supervisor, 1971	22.50
Homestead Press	10.00
Eleanor Reney, Tax Collector's Expenses	94.30
Paul Romaine, Selectmen's Expenses	25.00
Earline Pillsbury, Treasurer's Expenses	16.29
Harry Spanos, Legal Aid	100.00
Edward Hutchins, Ballot Box	8.00
Dr. William Moore	35.00
B. Joey Holmes, Town Clerk's Expenses	15.86

Protection of Persons and Property

Police Department:

R. & L. Auto Parts	75.60
Linsky Uniforms	67.50
Reney's Store	100.71
Floyds of Manchester	43.50
Barrett Press	10.80
Dana Brown, Salary and Expenses	209.32
Carleton Miles	10.00
Wayne Barton	10.00

Fire Department 1,032.00

Health and Sanitation

Health Department:

Town of Newport, Ambulance Service	366.00
Area Home Health Agency	253.00

Town Dump and Garbage Removal:

Hastings Construction Co.	1,364.00
Maurice Reney	14.00
Cote & Reney	36.00

Highways and Bridges

Town Maintenance:

Summer Maintenance	2,923.85
Winter Maintenance	5,385.24

Town Road Aid:

Town's Share	351.51
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Street Lighting:

Public Service Co.	525.39
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Libraries**Dunbar Library:**

Suburban Gas Co., Heat	105.37
Public Service Co., Lights	23.50
Bernice Howe, Librarian's Salary	250.00

Public Welfare**Old Age Assistance:**

State of N. H.	24.50
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Town Poor and Distribution of Surplus Food:

County of Sullivan, Surplus Food Freight	115.65
Eleanor Reney, Salary	75.00
Shirley Curtis, Salary	105.00

Public Service Enterprises**Cemeteries:**

Elwin Kimball, Maintenance of Cemeteries	222.00
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Unclassified

Taxes Bought by Town:	2,086.38
Highway Subsidy Fund:	3,774.17

New Construction and Improvements

State Aid Construction:	1,460.00
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Indebtedness Payments**Trust Funds:**

New Truck Fund	2,000.00
Dump Fund	1,000.00

Payments to Other Government Divisions**County:**

Sullivan County, County Tax	7,866.94
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State:

State of N. H., Resident Taxes	1,451.70
State of N. H., Boat Tax	2.10

School District:

Grantham School District	77,554.77
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ROAD AGENT'S REPORT

Summer Labor

Donald Barton, Jr.	\$ 32.00
Carleton Miles	193.50
Alfred Holmes & Equipment	1,933.00
	<hr/> \$ 2,158.50

Summer Expenses

Lebanon Crushed Stone	\$ 65.99
Hastings Construction	48.00
Eaton Jones Sand & Gravel	48.93
Vaines Garage	19.98
Kibby Equipment	31.13
Blacktop, Inc.	60.48
Townsend's Garage	6.50
New England Culvert Co.	332.37
Reney's Store	127.97
Kenneth H. Barton, gravel	24.00
	<hr/> \$ 765.35

Total Summer Maintenance	<hr/> \$ 2,923.85
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Winter Labor

Carleton Miles	\$ 360.00
Donald Barton, Jr.	299.00
Kenneth O. Barton	4.00
Steven Barton	5.00
Elwin Kimball	62.00
Alfred Holmes, & Equipment	2,699.91
	<hr/> \$ 3,429.91

Winter Expenses

Vaines Garage	\$ 165.17
Merrimack	104.19
International Salt	478.97
Reney's Store	273.42
Kibby Equipment	116.79
Eaton Jones Sand & Gravel	130.00

Hartford Motors	84.03
G. K. Stetson	9.70
Sanels	139.00
Hastings Const.	114.00
Henry Howard, gas	6.30
Townsend's Garage	13.00
Interstate Tire	318.19
Hathorn's	2.57
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	\$ 1,955.33

Total Winter Maintenance	<hr/> \$ 5,385.24
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Highway Subsidy Fund

Repair—Gravel on Smith Road:

A. Holmes	\$ 445.50
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Repair—Gravel on Dana Brown Road:

A. Holmes	186.00
D. Barton	17.00
N. England Culvert	104.37

Repair—Gravel and Tarring Cole's Road:

A. Holmes	685.50
D. Barton	57.00
C. Miles	37.50
Hastings Const.	45.00
N. England Culvert	40.56
A. Holmes, Deisel Fuel	2.80
N. H. Bituminous	689.96
Allard Rental Service	30.00

Repair—Tarring East Side Dunbar Hill:

A. Holmes	137.00
C. Miles	58.50
Hastings Const.	75.00
N. H. Bituminous	910.48

Repair—Gravel on Burpee Hill (Day's):

A. Holmes	180.00
C. Miles	72.00

Total	<hr/> \$ 3,774.17
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FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORT

To the Townspeople of Grantham:

Through the cooperation of the men of Grantham, the Fire Department is now in the process of reorganization.

As part of this reorganization, we have acquired an additional 1,000 Gallon Pumper, capable of carrying 1,100 gallons of water, the necessary hose and appliances. This pumper is in excellent condition and should serve our needs for a good many years. We, also, intend to purchase more essential equipment to further update the Department and more efficiently serve the people of Grantham.

I wish to extend my thanks and appreciation to the members, the townspeople and other benefactors, whose help has made this all possible.

CARLEY BENOIT

Chief, Fire Department

Fire Department Expenditures — 1972

Oxygen—Welding & Supply Co.	\$ 8.40
N. H. Dept. of Resources & Dev.	15.12
Oxygen—Welding Supply Co.	51.63
Vaines Garage	67.64
Public Service Co. of N. H.	.93
Osborne Marine	4.00
Public Service Co. of N. H.	2.30
Rowell Bros.	29.98
N. H. State Firemen's Assoc.	31.00
H. Strauss	6.73
Bill Kelleher	2,500.00
Roland Hardy	7.00
Bill Kelleher	3,750.00
Public Service Co. of N. H.	4.60
Osborne Marine	4.00
Oxygen—Welding Supply Co.	48.49
United Construction Corp.	18.00
Gauthier & Woodard, Inc.	186.00
Public Service Co. of N. H.	6.19
Blak-Top Inc.	118.27
Goodrich Oil Co.	20.70

Reney's Store	98.53
Goodrich Oil Co.	11.25
Vaines Garage	7.00
Hastings Construction Co.	79.40
Earline Pillsbury	10.00
Reney's Store	8.74
Goodrich Oil Co.	14.55
Public Service Co. of N. H.	25.00
Goodrich Oil Co.	30.55
Goodrich Oil Co.	24.48
Goodrich Oil Co.	22.28
Goodrich Oil Co.	14.48

Receipts — 1972

Interest on Savings Account	171.12
Carried over from previous year ins. claim	2,000.00
Received from Town	1,000.00
Received from Controlled Env. Corp.	4,000.00
Eastman Home Owners Assn.	200.00

Appreciation and thanks to the following:

John Welch, for building and installation of tank on new truck, and to Bob Snow for supplying transportation in purchasing new truck. Eastman Corp and Eastman Home Owners for their generous donations.

1973 GRANTHAM POLICE DEPARTMENT REPORT

As a general report of the Grantham Police Department's activities during the year 1972, I submit the following:

- 4 Court appearances
- 6 Dog disturbance calls
- 4 Malicious damage cases
 - a) Mailboxes (investigation & restitution made)
 - b) Street lights (investigation & apprehension)
 - c) Private property—lawns—(investigation & restitution made)
 - d) Private property—camp—(investigation and restitution made)
- 5 Vehicular accidents
- 1 Vehicle—Pedestrian accident
- 14 Written warnings
 - Over 500 patrol hours in town
 - Purchase of new Police Equipment
 - On duty at Town Meeting
 - On duty at funeral
 - On duty at Election Polls
- 6 Through-town escorts

DANA W. BROWN

Chief of Police

Grantham Police Department

DUNBAR FREE LIBRARY

Librarian's Report

State books loaned	487
Town books loaned	125
Total circulation	612
Books purchased	29
Books added by gifts	8

Two books. "The Story of Mount Washington" by F. Allen Burt and "Becky, Grandmother of New Hampshire" by Alice Haubrich, were presented by Mr. and Mrs. Leon Newton of Alstead as a memorial for the late Harold Aaron Brown, a former resident.

All Grantham citizens are urged to make more use of their library. Some things of interest are: A good collection of State books changed three times a year and both old and new Town books. The Librarian may borrow directly from the State Library if so directed. As a supplement to the set of World Book Encyclopedia there are separate editions for 1967-68-69-70-71-72, each giving events of the preceding year, with reviews focusing on The World, Nation, Economy, Science, Education, Arts and Sports. There are local and other Historical reference books, early Town papers, brochures on various timely subjects and on interesting places to visit in the area. Also lists of Veterans and an extensive mineral exhibit.

BERNICE M. HOWE

Librarian

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Grantham, N. H., on December 31, 1972

Invested in the Newport Savings Bank at 5%.

Date of Creation	Name of Fund—Purpose of Creation	Balance Beginning Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance End Year
1900	William Howe Fund, E. G. cemetery lot	50.00	2.55	2.55	.64
1911	L. F. Shaw Fund, E. G. cemetery lot	150.00	7.74	7.70	1.94
1913	Jonathan Brown Fund, E. G. cemetery lot	150.00	7.74	7.70	1.94
1913	Hannah Stevens Fund, E. G. cemetery lot	50.00	2.55	2.55	.64
1920	Mercy Sanborn George Fund, E. G. cemetery	100.00	5.12	5.11	1.28
1929	Reverdy Smith Fund, E. G. cemetery lot	50.00	2.55	2.55	.64
1933	Irene W. Hemphill Fund, E. G. cemetery lot	100.00	5.12	5.11	1.28
1935	Estella Hitchcock Fund, E. G. cemetery lot	100.00	5.12	5.11	1.58
1941	Louisa B. Bailey Fund, for Lucy A. Roach & Herbert J. Wiggins lots	75.00	3.86	3.83	.97
1944	Alice M. Wilcox Fund, for Harrison Gross lot	100.00	5.12	5.11	1.28
1946	Emma Etta Sanborn and				
1948	Mary Sanborn Bragg Fund for cemetery lot	400.00	20.67	20.58	5.18
1958	Edith M. Miller Fund, for cemetery lot	100.00	5.12	5.11	1.28
1958	Frank E. Hastings Fund, for cemetery lot	100.00	5.12	5.11	1.28
1958	George & Alberta Hastings, cemetery lot	121.84	6.28	6.25	1.58
1960	Zena W. and Bernice S. Pillsbury Fund, for cemetery lot				
1963	Harriet B. Stocker Fund, for cemetery lot	100.00	5.12	5.11	1.28
		100.00	5.12	5.11	1.28

1963	J. Madison & Alice M. Howe Fund, for cemetery lot					
1964-	Town of Grantham Fund, for cemetery lot	100.00	5.12	5.11	1.28	
1968	Florence & Orrin Pillsbury Fund, East Grantham cemetery lots	40.00	2.05	2.04	.59	
1968	Howard & Dorothy Ashley E. G. cemetery lot	600.00	30.99	30.87	7.76	
1900	Hannah Hayward Fund, D. Hill cemetery lot	100.00	5.12	5.11	1.28	
1915	Hiram Buswell Fund, Library	400.00	20.67	20.58	5.18	
1891	From sale of lease land, School Fund	300.00	15.48	15.41	3.88	
1960	Capital Reserve Fund, for School	623.00	32.46	0.00	40.39	
1971	Grantham School District, Bus Fund	163.18	13.69	0.00	116.87	
1971	Town of Grantham, Dump Fund	1,500.00	77.69	0.00	86.62	
1968	Town of Grantham, Truck purchasing Fund	1,000.00	91.77	0.00	118.70	
		6,293.34	429.16	0.00	957.47	
	Total	12,966.36	819.10	173.71	1,363.79	

New Funds Created:

1971	Town of Grantham Dump Fund	1,000.00
1968	Town of Grantham Truck Purchasing Fund	2,000.00

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

January 30, 1973

KENNETH O. BARTON
AMAH R. HOWARD
H. STANLEY GRAF
Trustees.

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS

December 31, 1972

Total amount withdrawn on all Funds \$ 173.71

Paid:

Elwin J. Kimball, Cemetery Agent \$ 158.30

Amah R. Howard, Library Trustee
(Treasurer) 15.41

New Funds Created:

1972—Town of Grantham—Dump Fund \$ 1,000.00

1972—Town of Grantham—
Truck Purchasing Fund 2,000.00

At the request of the Attorney General's Office, the long standing policy of reporting balances of principal and interest together has been discontinued. To arrive at last year's end of year balance, this year's beginning year's income and principal balances must be added.

H. STANLEY GRAF

Treasurer of Trust Funds

AUDITORS' REPORT

This is to certify we have audited the accounts of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Town Highway Agent, and find them correctly cast and supported by proper vouchers.

SHIRLEY L. CURTIS

ELLA RENEY

Auditors

LIBRARY TRUSTEES' REPORT

Receipts

Jan. 1, 1972 Bank Balance	\$ 160.71	
Cash on Hand	3.03	
		\$ 163.74
March 9, Donation		10.00
March 20, Donation		10.00
Oct. 27, Trust Fund Income		15.41
		\$ 199.15

Payments

Jan. 20, Stamp and Pad	\$ 2.65	
Jan. 22, N. H. State Library (lost book)		4.49
May 10, World Book Encyclopedia, Inc.		5.95
Sept. 22, N. H. State Library (lost books)		8.45
Oct. 7, Dartmouth Book Store (new books)		47.40
Dec. 9, Cindy Holmes (lawn care)		10.00
Dec. 31, Cash on Hand	\$ 3.03	
Bank Balance	117.18	
		120.21
		\$ 199.15

AMAH R. HOWARD

ELLA B. RENEY

Library Trustees

ANNUAL REPORT
of the
GRANTHAM SCHOOL DISTRICT

OFFICERS OF THE DISTRICT

Moderator

Robert Osgood

Clerk

Janis Hastings

Treasurer

Bernice M. Howe

School Board

Shirley Benoit

(Term Expires March 1973)

Peter Johnson

(Term Expires March 1973)

Ribert Hubbard

(Term Expires March 1975)

Auditors

Barbara M. Mutney

Janis H. Hastings

Superintendent of Schools

William E. Merrill

Assistant Superintendent

Fokion Lafionatis (resigned 11/2/72)

David C. Cameron (as of 7/1/72)

Daniel J. Whitaker (as of 1/19/73)

Business Administrator

Roland J. Desrochers

School Nurse

Evelyn Klotz

GRANTHAM SCHOOL ANNUAL DISTRICT MEETING

March 8, 1972

Meeting was opened at 3:00 P. M. to act on Art. 1. Polls closed at 7:30 P. M. and the meeting recessed to count ballots. Ballot clerks were Eleanor Reney, Paul Romaine, Kenneth Barton, Stanley Graf with the moderator and clerk. The following results were read by the moderator.

School Board for three years: Stanley Graf 1, Allen Walker 1, Robert Osgood 2, Robert Hubbard 40, Shirley Curtis 20, Mary Traegde 2, Robert Hubbard was elected.

School Board for 1 year: Hollis French 1, Robert Hubbard 3, Mary Traegde 6, Warren Benoit 55, Shirley Curtis 3, Warren Benoit was elected.

Treasurer: Thomas Willis 1, Eleanor Reney 1, Bernice Howe 63, Kenneth Barton 1, Bernice Howe was elected.

Moderator: Kenneth Barton 1, Robert Osgood 52, Ralph Howard 1, Donald Barton, Jr. 1, Robert Osgood was elected.

Auditors: Everett Reney 1, Stanley Graf 7, Shirley Curtis 2, Joey Holmes 1, Fred Kidder 1, Barbara Mutney 23, Janis Hastings 21, Richard Howard 1, Ralph Howard 1, Barbara Mutney and Janis Hastings elected.

Clerk: Elwin Kimball 1, Janis Hastings 66, Janis Hastings elected.

There were 70 votes cast. Ella Reney offered the following motion: In as much as N. H. Laws require a five hour voting period, it seemed sensible to open the meeting at 3:00 P. M. and since the School Boards error was one of omission, not of commission, I move that the business of the past five hours be declared a legal part of this March 8, 1972, meeting and that we proceed with the rest of the proposed warrant. Seconded by Kenneth Barton. Affirmative vote.

Art. 2: Ella Reney moved that Art. 2 be accepted as written. Seconded by Peter Galien. Affirmative vote.

Art. 3: Shirley Curtis requested that the District not take action on Art. 3 until articles 4 & 5 are acted on because they affect Art. 3. Seconded by Peter Galien. Affirmative vote.

Art. 4: Motion to pass over made by Stanley Graf, seconded by Alfred Holmes. Negative vote. Motion by Kenneth Barton to accept as written amended by Eila Hautaniemi to read: That the District vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$8,262.75 to cover the deficit in the In-State Tuition Account for 1971-72 school year and to authorize the selectmen to make the money available before June 30, 1972. Seconded by Mary Traegde. The motion to move question by Alden Pillsbury, seconded by Wilfred Hastings. Affirmative vote. .

Art. 5: Motion to pass over by Alfred Holmes, seconded by Stanley Graf. Negative vote. Following resolution offered by Mary Traegde: That the School District vote to authorize the School Board to enter into a 5 year contract with Jan-Car Leasing Inc. to provide pupil transportation for the School District and to utilize the \$2,500.00 realized from the sale of the school bus to reduce the amount to be raised by local taxation. Seconded by Shirley Curtis. Motion made by Shirley Curtis to vote by ballot. Seconded by William Willis. Total votes cast 54, yes 43-no 12. Article accepted. Motion made by N. Day and seconded by Robert Hubbard to accept count as taken.

Art. 6: Mary Traegde offered following resolution: That the District vote to utilize the sum in the Capital Reserve Bus Fund to reduce the amount needed to be raised by local taxation. Seconded by Aleene Hastings. Affirmative vote.

Motion made by Everett Reney to go to article 10. Seconded by Robert Hubbard. Affirmative vote.

Art. 10: E. Reney made a motion to discuss and pass any action thereto. Alfred Holmes made an amendment to let the School Board take this article under advisement for the following year. Seconded by Shirley Curtis. Affirmative vote.

Art. 3: Following resolution offered by Shirley Curtis: That the District vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$83,042.00 for the support of school, salaries of School District officials and agents, for the payment of statutory obligations of said district and to authorize the application against said appropriation, such sums as are

estimated to be received from the State and Federal governments together with other income; the School Board to certify to the Selectmen the balance, which balance is to be raised by taxation by the district. Seconded by Eila Hautaniemi. Stanley Graf made a motion to amend to read \$63,042.00, not seconded. Motion made by Stanley Graf and seconded by Alden Pillsbury to vote by ballot. Affirmative vote. Amendment made by Kenneth Barton to submit another figure if this one is defeated. 58 votes cast, 19 yes, 39 no. Amendment is lost. Warren Benoit presented a figure of \$72,500.00 including Teacher Aide as a motion. Seconded by Reginald Field. Motion made to move the question, seconded by Kenneth Barton. Affirmative vote. Motion made and seconded to vote by ballot. Amended by Alfred Holmes and seconded by Stanley Graf to vote on another figure if the \$72,500.00 is lost. 55 votes cast, yes 42, no 13. Figure of \$72,500.00 is accepted.

Art. 7: Motion by Amah Howard to pass over, seconded and affirmative vote.

Art. 8: Eila Hautaniemi offered a resolution to accept Art. 8 as written, seconded by Mary Traegde. Affirmative vote.

Art. 9: Motion by Amah Howard to raise \$500.00 to paint exterior of Grantham School. Seconded by Eleanor Reney. Affirmative vote.

Art. 11: Motion to adjourn made by Amah Howard, seconded and affirmative vote.

A true Copy.

JANIS HASTINGS

District Clerk

**GRANTHAM SCHOOL DISTRICT
SPECIAL SCHOOL MEETING**

May 10, 1972

Art. 1: Motion made by Stanley Graf to vote by ballot and polls remain open one half hour, negative vote. Robert Hubbard offered the following: That the School District vote by paper ballot on Art. 2 and once the polls are declared open by the moderator for voting on the final motion under Art. 2, that they remain open until 7:00 P. M. on this the 10th day of May, 1972, and further that any amendments which may be offered to the original motion under Art. 2 will also be voted on by paper ballot, but the votes on these amendments, if any, will be by those present and entitled to vote at the time these amendments may be offered. Seconded by E. Hautaneimi. Stanley Graf made a motion to vote by ballot. Amah Howard amended the Article to read 8:00 P. M. instead of 7:00 P. M. Affirmative vote. Article was then voted on. Affirmative vote.

Art. 2: Motion made by E. Hautaniemi that the District raise and appropriate the additional sum of six thousand and fifty-five (\$6,055.00) dollars for the support of schools for the school year 1972-73, this sum being in addition to the \$72,500.00 voted to be raised and appropriated at the Annual District Meeting on March 8, 1972 for support of schools for 1972-73. Seconded by A. Howard. Stanley Graf made amendment to decrease amount by \$2,000.00 to read \$4,055.00. Negative vote. Polls were opened for voting by ballot. Number of ballots cast were 123. 110 yes, 12 no with 1 void. The amount of \$6,055.00 was raised.

Art. 3: Motion made by Robert Hubbard that the District Clerk be directed to count the names on the checklist which was used at the Annual District Meeting on March 8, 1972 and report that number to this meeting and to enter that number in the records of this meeting. Seconded by E. Reney, voted in affirmative. There were 232 names on the checklist. Motion made by E. Reney and seconded by A. Howard to adjourn.

A true copy.

JANIS HASTINGS
District Clerk

GRANTHAM SCHOOL DISTRICT WARRANT**STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE**

Sullivan, ss:

School District of Grantham

To the inhabitants of the Town of Grantham, in County of Sullivan, in the State of New Hampshire, qualified to vote on District affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in Grantham on Monday, March 12, 1973 at 2:30 P. M. in the afternoon to act on Article One (polls will be open from 2:30 P. M. to 7:30 P. M.) and beginning at 7:30 P. M. to act on Articles two through seven.

Article 1. To choose by ballot, a Moderator, a Clerk, a Treasurer, two Auditors, a member of the School Board for the ensuing one year, and a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

Article 2. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees and other officers heretofore chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.

Article 3. To see what sum of money the District will raise and appropriate for the support of the school, for the salaries of School District officials and agents, and for the statutory obligations of said District and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from state and federal governments together with other income the School Board to certify to the Selectmen the balance; which balance is to be raised by taxation by the District.

Article 4. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 to replace the sills under a portion of the Grantham Village School building. (Portion needing replacement is located near the two doors leading to the playground.)

Article 5. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 to improve the bathrooms at the Grantham Village School.

Article 6. To see if the District will authorize the School Board to make application for, to accept and to expend on behalf of the District. any or all grants or other

funds which may now or hereafter be forthcoming from the United States Government or from the State of New Hampshire.

Article 7. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this thirteenth day of February, nineteen hundred and seventy-three.

ROBERT HUBBARD

SHIRLEY BENOIT

PETER JOHNSON

Grantham School Board

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES
1971 — 1972

Salaries of District Officers:

Eila Hautaniemi	\$ 50.00
Mary Traegde	50.00
Shirley Curtis	75.00
Janis Hastings	25.00
Bernice Howe	75.00
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	\$ 275.00

Contracted Services for Administration:

Mary Traegde	15.00
Janis Hastings	5.00
Barbara Mutney	5.00
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	\$ 25.00

Other Administration Expense:

N. H. School Boards Assoc.	40.00
Warren Benoit	12.54
Eagle Pub. Inc.	106.76
Grantham Ladies Aid	12.00
Thompson & Hoague	10.85
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	\$ 182.15

Salaries of Teachers:

Richard Welles	5,240.25
Linda Welles	4,492.23
Carolyn Edwards	660.00
Barbara Underhill	1,505.00
Dorothy Townsend	455.00
Ethel Bazillion	105.00
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	\$12,457.48

Salaries of Substitutes:

Earline Pillsbury	18.00
Margaret Holt	20.00
Shirley Curtis	18.00
Plainfield School District	18.86
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	\$ 74.86

Textbooks:

Science Research Assoc.	54.98
John Wiley & Sons Inc.	5.51
Chas. E. Merrill Pub. Co.	3.95
Arco Pub. Co.	16.15
Human Dev. Training	5.16
The Viking Press	1.24
Holt, Rinehart & Winston	24.28
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	\$ 111.27

School Libraries & Audiovisual Materials:

Garrord Pub. Co.	34.37
Litton Educ. Pub.	7.15
Hunting Co.	154.85
Kids Magazine	6.00
Lebanon School District	2.40
Educators Progress Service	10.75
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	\$ 215.52

Teaching Aids:

Mainco School Supply Co.	2.60
Northern Supply Co.	100.95
Rich's Dept. Store	31.53
Lebanon School District refund	96.81
Petty Cash	50.00
Community Playthings	71.15
Creative Pub.	16.01
N. E. School Supply	20.11
Herder & Herder	5.56
Cuisenaire Co. of Am.	34.90
Allyn & Bacon Inc.	2.06
Aquarius Tropical Fish	6.93
J. L. Hammett Co.	8.80
Selective Education Equipment	20.45
Science Research Assoc.	34.61
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	\$ 308.85

Contracted Services:

N. H. Network School Service	45.00
University of N. H.	13.84

Regional Center	40.00	
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		\$ 98.84

Other Expenses of Instruction:

Cuisenaire Co. of Am.	2.00	
Acoustifoni Corp.	9.95	
McGraw-Hill Book Co.	7.36	
Meth. Ch. Ladies Aid	7.00	
Squam Lakes Sci. Ctr.	25.00	
Barbara Underhill	6.25	
Carolyn Edwards	84.00	
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		\$ 141.56

Health Services:

Lebanon School District (Nurse)	329.00	
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		\$ 329.00

Other Health Services:

Denis T. Maryn, M. D.	4.00	
State Treasurer	120.00	
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		\$ 124.00

Salaries for Transportation:

Kenneth Barton	3,670.80	
Joyce Barton	102.21	
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		\$ 3,773.01

Repairs to Vehicles:

Vaines of Croydon	465.00	
Eppe's	54.00	
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		\$ 519.00

Supplies for Vehicles:

Vaines of Croydon	139.10	
Lebanon School District	366.71	
Interstate Tire Co.	35.18	
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		\$ 540.99

Insurance for Vehicles:

Gauthier & Woodard, Inc.	162.00	
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		\$ 162.00

Other Transportation Expenses:

Bates & DeMayo	8.00	
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		\$ 8.00

Custodial Salaries:

Kenneth Barton	1,034.25	
Joyce Barton	25.00	
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		\$ 1,059.25

Supplies for Operation of Building:

W. C. Landon Inc.	15.84	
Allston Supply Co.	19.65	
Interstate Restaurant Equip.	11.40	
B/J Chemical & Sup. Co.	11.50	
Thompson & Hoague Co.	10.67	
Reney's General Store	5.69	
Lebanon School District	26.48	
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		\$ 101.28

Heat:

Corbett Oil Co., Inc.	312.90	
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		\$ 312.90

Utilities:

Public Service Co.	649.20	
N. E. Telephone	248.85	
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		\$ 898.05

Repairs to Equipment:

A. H. Rice Co.	14.80	
Greydon Freeman Inc.	56.94	
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		\$ 71.74

Repairs to Building:

Alfred Holmes	20.00	
Lebanon School District T. I.	24.00	
S. Melvin Nelson	60.00	
Fred Currier	19.47	
Loren Barton	16.75	
Corbett Oil Co.	43.32	
Parke Snow's	25.56	
Boivert Bros.	144.65	
Rowell Bros.	73.45	
Howard Prescott	102.15	
Shepard Corp.	12.10	
Chas. Plummer	40.00	
Victor Tucker	175.42	
Dulac's	86.29	
Bro-Dart	8.92	
Kibbey Pump Co.	40.10	
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		\$ 892.18

Teacher's Retirement System:

N. H. Retirement System	119.12	
S. U. #32 Retirement	121.16	
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		\$ 240.28

Federal Ins. Contribution Act:

State Treasurer	566.86	
N. H. Dept. of Welfare	2.00	
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		\$ 568.86

Insurance:

Gauthier & Woodard, Inc.	349.25	
Lebanon School District	347.52	
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		\$ 696.77

Federal Monies:

Special Milk	80.84	
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		\$ 80.84

Student Activities:

First National Stores	19.28	
Lebanon School District	17.25	
Green Acres Ice Cream Inc.	4.40	
	<hr/>	\$ 40.93

Capital Outlay - Equipment-NDEA:

Manico School Supply Co.	51.25	
Montgomery Ward	15.70	
Dulac's Building & Hardware	1.93	
Voice & Vision	79.20	
	<hr/>	\$ 148.13

Debt Service & Interest:

National Bank of Lebanon	2,799.53	
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Tuition:

Lebanon School District	33,300.12	
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Union Expense:

S. U. #32	1,900.82	
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Capital Reserve Payments:

Trustees of Trust Funds	1,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,500.00
Total Disbursements		<hr/> \$63,958.21

TREASURER'S REPORT

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1972

Cash on hand, July 1, 1971	\$ 2,353.29
Town of Grantham	56,488.58
Foundation Aid	4,645.06
Sweepstakes	1,023.81
Special Milk	80.84
Intellectually Retarded	167.78
Building Aid	784.65
Trust Funds	31.96
Filing Fees	3.00
Refunds	297.58
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Total Receipts	\$65,876.55
Paid on School Board Orders	64,254.99
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Cash on hand, July 1, 1972	\$ 1,621.56

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Grantham, New Hampshire, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1972, and find them correct in all respects.

BARBARA M. MUTNEY

JANIS H. HASTINGS

Auditors

GRANTHAM SCHOOL DISTRICT BUDGET

Budget Item	Spent 1971-72	Budget 1972-73	Proposed 1973-74
Administration	\$ 482.15	\$ 455.00	\$ 485.00
Instruction:			
Teachers' Salaries	12,532.34	16,571.00	24,541.00
Books-Text & Library	326.79	775.00	775.00
Supplies	308.85	690.00	890.00
Contracted Services	98.84	290.00	290.00
Other Expenses	141.56	155.00	355.00
Attendance Services			10.00
Health Services	453.00	458.00	677.40
Transportation	5,003.00	6,780.00	6,780.00
Operation of Plant	2,371.48	2,115.00	1,455.00
Maintenance of Plant	963.92	1,305.00	725.00
Fixed Charges:			
Retirement & Social Security	809.14	1,292.00	2,066.23
Insurance	696.77	812.00	981.00
Special Milk	80.84	50.00	50.00
Student Activities	40.93	50.00	50.00
Capital Outlay	148.13	650.00	650.00
Debt Service	2,799.53	2,645.00	
Tuition	33,300.12	41,964.00	39,495.00
Supervisory Union Expense	1,900.82	1,998.00	2,069.39
Deficit Appropriation		6,126.12	
Capital Reserve Fund Payment	1,500.00		
Totals	\$63,958.21	\$85,181.12	\$82,345.02

GRANTHAM SCHOOL DISTRICT BUDGET

Receipts

Source	Actual 1971-72	Actual & Est. 1972-73	Estimated 1973-74
Local Taxation	\$56,488.58		
Other Revenue-Local	35.76	\$77,066.19	\$76,945.02
Revenue from State:			
Foundation Aid	4,645.06		
Building Aid	784.65	970.14	
Intellectually Retarded	167.78		
Sweepstakes	1,023.81	1,383.63	1,300.00
Special Milk	80.84	50.00	50.00
N. D. E. A.		50.00	50.00
Sale of Bus		2,500.00	
From Capital		1,500.00	
Balance	2,353.29	1,661.16	4,000.00
Totals	\$65,579.77	\$85,181.12	\$82,345.02

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To: The School Board and citizens of the Grantham School District, we respectfully submit our annual report.

FOREWORD

Career education has become a major priority with both National and State educational leaders. It is my firm belief that it should be a major local priority.

What is career education? Career education places primary emphasis upon learning about the individual's role in the world of work and upon his preparation for a lifetime career. In other words, career education is really education preparing today's youth for their adult life. At the elementary school level (K-6), community resources are utilized to increase each child's awareness of the occupations in his community. Some career education activities include visiting people who work in the local community and having community members come into the school to talk with students about their work. The child begins to realize that each working member of the community has a life style that is rewarding to the individual as well as productive to society.

Career education also emphasizes the awareness of each child of his strengths and weaknesses. Teachers must be aware of the strengths and weaknesses of each individual and plan activities which will overcome weaknesses as well as help the individual recognize his strengths. The school must provide a broad range of activities to make the skill subjects mean something to each child.

During the middle school years, each student begins to set realistic goals for himself based upon his knowledge of his strengths and weaknesses. During these years the student begins to make a commitment to the kind of educational program he wants in high school.

Having determined his capabilities and having established goals for himself, the student approaches high school with definite learning expectations. During the high

school years, the student makes choices based upon his interests and his abilities. College, vocational / technical schools or entry into the world of work are options among which he may choose based upon his own goals and abilities.

Career education is the development of an attitude about life—an attitude that promotes the idea that doing a job to the best of one's ability is a noble goal. Career education is taking pride in one's self, realizing that excellence is a goal worth attaining, and realizing that there are rewards for doing the best job possible.

We hope to develop attitudes which will encourage the individual to take pride in himself and his work. We feel that by increasing the student's awareness of a wide variety of occupations and of the basic dignity of all work (whatever it may be), that the student will be able to overcome the serious dilemma which faces many young people when they find themselves out of high school (and sometimes out of college) without really knowing what they want to do. If parents, the community, and the school work together in developing good attitudes toward careers, this dilemma can be prevented. This is a major goal of career education.

INSTRUCTION PROGRAM

With the resignation in April 1972 of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Welles, the Grantham School had the good fortune of securing the services of Mrs. Underhill and Miss Edwards to carry on the instructional program. In addition, Mr. Anderson was employed as an aide to the teaching staff. These three people have developed a good school program for the school children of Grantham. They need your support and cooperation as they continue to provide improved programs for your children.

Upon the recommendation of the Title I Advisory Committee, the reading program was continued for a fourth year. This program is funded under Title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act. The program is under the direction of Mrs. Diane Rochford, who is providing help to children who are having difficulty with reading.

COMMUNITY PLANNING

We were pleased to hear that a comprehensive planning committee has been formed in the town which will

include School District interests. The need for planning is critical since the town will continue to grow and comprehensive community services will have to be provided. It is our opinion that this committee has an extremely important function to perform and should commence as soon as possible.

STATE AID

Next year we are anticipating approximately the same amount in sweepstakes and AREA aid as in this year's budget. Sweepstakes money is used as income to help reduce the local tax assessment. AREA aid is used to reduce the tuition payment for children attending the Lebanon AREA Schools. Sweepstakes and AREA aid are the only state monies coming to the District next year.

BUDGET

The proposed budget for the coming school year 1973-74 is \$82,345.02 compared with \$79,055.00 for the present school year. In addition, a sum of \$6,126.12 was raised to cover the deficit in the In-State-Tuition Account for the 1971-72 school year. This amount was raised under the 1972-73 budget increasing the total appropriation to \$85,181.72.

WARRANT

Two special articles are included in this year's warrant which require your careful consideration. One asks for an appropriation to replace sills under a portion of the school building and the other asks for an appropriation for improving the two bathrooms at the school.

CONCLUSION

Appreciation is extended to all who have given their time, talent and energy to promote a better school program for the children of Grantham.

We especially thank the School Board and the professional staff for devoting many hours toward improving the instructional program in the Grantham Village School.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM E. MERRILL

Superintendent of Schools

ENROLLMENT

September 1972

No. Pupils in Grades	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Grantham Village School							
Miss Carolyn Edwards	13	7	7				27
Mrs. Barbara Underhill				9	5	4	18
Totals	13	7	7	9	5	4	45

SCHOOL CALENDAR 1973-74

Lebanon - Plainfield - Grantham

September through January 92 days

February through June 88 days

Days Out

Sept. 3 Labor Day
 Sept. 4 Teachers Meetings
 Oct. 8 Columbus Day
 Oct. 19 Teachers' Convention
 Oct. 22 Veterans' Day
 Nov. 22-23 Thanksgiving Recess
 (Nov. 22 Thanksgiving Day)
 Dec. 20-Jan. 1 Christmas Vacation
 Jan. 28 In-Service Day
 Feb. 18-22 Winter Vacation
 (Feb. 18 Washington's Birthday)
 Apr. 22-26 Spring Vacation
 (Apr. 22 Fast Day)
 May 27 Memorial Day
 June 20 Teachers' Workshop

180 days required attendance for instructional purpose

183 days - teacher contract days

GRANTHAM TUITION PUPILS

1972 — 1973

Enrolled at Lebanon High School:		Enrolled at Lebanon Junior High School:	
Name	Grade	Name	Grade
Benoit, Julie	9	Barton, Wayne	7
Day, Susan	9	Benoit, Brian W.	7
Holmes, Cindy	9	Currier, Lance	7
Phetteplace, Shari	9	Currier, Tracy D.	7
Shepard, Debra	9	Dunphy, Greg	7
Chapman, Samuel	9	Gallien, James L.	7
Hautaniemi, Richard	9	Hautaniemi, Susan	7
Willis, William	9	Kimball, Richard	7
Willis, Sharon	10	Thorne, Timothy M.	7
Benoit, Sharon	10	Hosmer, Jeffrey K.	Sp. Ed.
Holmes, Mark	10	Benoit, Laurie	8
Swenson, Cory	10	Currier, Larry J.	8
Barton, Stephen	11	Jackson, Leonard	8
Chapman, Jon	11	Kimball, Michael	8
Currier, Wade	11	Moulton, Timothy	8
Hastings, Brian	11	Pillsbury, Lynn	8
Hautaniemi, David	11	Swenson, Mitchell	8
Story, Kenneth	11	Enrolled at Hanover Street School:	
Traegde, Allen	11		
Howard, Rose	12	Name	Grade
Phetteplace, Elaine	12	Pillsbury,	
Chapman, David	12	Wayne F., Jr.	Sp. Ed.
Day, Douglas	12		
Hastings, Michael	12		
Hosmer, Steven	12		

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

New Hampshire State Law now requires all children entering school for the first time to have a complete physical and immunization for Measles, Rubella (German Measles), Diphtheria and Tetanus, Polio Vaccine, and a TB test within one year prior to school entrance. The law was legislated to provide better health protection for all school children.

The Matching Fund Dental Program was not adequate to take care of all the children who requested dental care this year. Although other monies were allocated to help the situation, it was impossible to find a dentist who had the time to complete this work. Dr. Chris Armen has indicated that he is willing to continue doing dental work for the Grantham School next year, although he has found it necessary to drop other schools from his schedule. I am hopeful we will be able to continue the dental program in Grantham.

Dr. Thomas Brown of Lebanon will give school physicals in January, 1973. Parents are invited to attend the examinations and should feel free to discuss the results of his findings.

I wish to thank the teachers, parents, and students for their fine cooperation. Special appreciation is extended to the volunteer drivers who made the dental program possible.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. EVELYN KLOTZ
School Nurse

BIRTHS

Registered in the Town of Grantham for the year ending December 31, 1972

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Birthplace of Mother	Birthplace of Father
Jan. 29	Hanover	JoAnn Louise	F	James F. Mutney	Betty A. Buckwold	Grantham	N. H.	N. H.
March 5	Lebanon	Laura Ann	F	Gerald N. Lee, Jr.	Violet J. Sanville	Grantham	N. H.	Maine
Feb. 24	Claremont	Crystal Margaret	F	Clifford M. Svensen	Marylin L. Martin	Grantham	Vt.	Mass.
Jan. 31	New London	Jean Lee	F	James W. Hathaway	Sharon L. Spooner	Grantham	N. H.	N. H.
Jan. 7	New London	Shane Allen	M	Scott C. Waddell	Linda L. Paynotta	Grantham	Vt.	N. H.
Feb. 17	Newport	Marshall Robert	M	Francis R. Osgood	Lorene C. Patten	Grantham	N. H.	N. H.
April 8	Newport	Ernest George III	M	Ernest G. Shepard, Jr.	Linda M. Williams	Grantham	Mass.	N. H.
May 8	Newport	David James	M	Norman P. Beaulieu	Donna J. Barton	Grantham	N. H.	N. H.
May 2	New London	Jennifer Ann	F	Alfred W. Clark	Janet P. Moulton	Grantham	N. H.	N. Y.
June 20	Claremont	Claude Normand II	M	Claude D. Anjou	Constance Legg	Grantham	Ohio	Canada
Sept. 3	New London	Jamie Todd	M	Henry C. Barton	Leila M. Sanborn	Grantham	N. H.	N. H.
Sept. 5	Lebanon	Comile Jean	F	Richard G. Smith	Kathy R. Tallman	Grantham	N. H.	N. H.
Nov. 9	New London	Troy Keith	M	Mark S. Traegde, Jr.	Nancy C. Drake	Grantham	N. H.	N. H.

MARRIAGES

Registered in the Town of Grantham for the year ending December 31, 1972

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each at Time of Marriage	Age	Color of Each	Place of Birth of Each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Condition	Name, Residence and Official Station of Persons by Whom Married
Feb. 29	Grantham	Dana Allen Jackola	Grantham	30	W	Mass.	Bella Jackola	Oregon	D 2nd	B. Joey Holmes
		Linda Rae DeLore	Grantham	25	W	Washington	Marie Wirtanen	Finland	D 2nd	Justice of the Peace
March 25	Grantham	Michael R. Traegde	Grantham	21	W	Lebanon	Raymond Morrow	Wash.	D 2nd	Grantham, N. H.
		Diane L. Geer	Newport	25	W	Newport	Beverley King	Canada	D 3rd	Dwight S. Haynes
March 24	New London	Rickey A. Hastings	Grantham	19	W	N. H.	Mark S. Traegde, Sr.	Mass.	S 1st	Minister
		Wanda L. Jones	Wilnot Flat	18	W	N. H.	Mary Moulton	N. H.	S 1st	Lebanon, N. H.
June 7	Grantham	John D. Fransway	Grantham	25	W	Wisc.	John Snape	N. H.	S 1st	Thomas E. Keenan
		Linda A. Poor	Grantham	27	W	N. J.	Virginia Kendall	N. H.	S 1st	Priest
June 17	Grantham	Thomas Andrew Lane	Fort Belvoir, Va.	31	W	N. Y.	Ronald Hastings	N. H.	S 1st	New London, N. H.
		Sonia Lee Bjornstad	Alexandria, Va.	25	W	Wisc.	Janis Avery	Mass.	S 1st	William A. Nelson
June 3	Claremont	Mark Edward Currier	Grantham	18	W	N. H.	Dorothy Babine	Mass.	D 2nd	Clergyman
		Debra Lee Magoon	Newport	13	W	Vt	Florian Fransway	Unknown	D 2nd	Hanover, N. H.
July 17	Lebanon	William Arthur Preston, Jr.	West Lebanon	25	W	N. H.	Susan Craik	Calif.	D 2nd	John B. Clover
		Lynda Sue Trotter	Grantham	21	W	N. H.	John Jensen	N. J.	S 1st	Justice of the Peace
Aug. 25	Portsmouth	Russell C. Miles	Grantham	20	W	Conn.	Virginia Nielson	N. Y.	S 1st	New London, N. H.
		Dorothy Dockham	Portsmouth	19	W	N. H.	Dorothy Edwards	Ga.	S 1st	Kenneth R. Boyden
Oct. 24	Franklin	Lawrence Arthur Click	Claremont	21	W	N. H.	Norman Bjornstad	Unknown	S 1st	Clergyman
		Ellen Dorothy Pillsbury	Grantham	18	W	N. H.	Freda Pamperin	N. H.	S 1st	Claremont, N. H.
Dec. 31	Sunapee	David Ralph Barton	Grantham	31	W	N. H.	Clyde Currier	N. H.	D 2nd	Robert A. Jones
		Jane Ann Roney	Sunapee	19	W	Ohio	Helen Snow	Maine	D 2nd	Justice of the Peace
							David Magoon	Vt.	D 2nd	Lebanon, N. H.
							Mary Dalton	N. H.	S 1st	John N. Feaster
							William A. Preston, Sr.	Vt.	S 1st	Reverend
							Barbara Ranney	N. H.	S 1st	Portsmouth, N. H.
							Wilfred Hastings	Ind.	S 1st	John Richford
							Pauline Werling	Maine	S 1st	Justice of the Peace
							Carlton Miles	N. H.	S 1st	Franklin, N. H.
							Marguerite Pomeroy	N. H.	D 2nd	Joseph E. Thomas
							George Dockham	N. H.	S 1st	Minister
							Lucy Ellis	Texas	S 1st	Sunapee, N. H.
							Glen Click	N. H.	S 1st	
							Mable Thornton	N. H.	S 1st	
							Alden Pillsbury	N. H.	S 1st	
							Earline Moulton	N. H.	S 1st	
							Donald W. Barton, Sr.	N. H.	S 1st	
							Lella Sanborn	N. H.	S 1st	
							Cary Roney	N. H.	S 1st	
							Evelyn Phetteplace	Vt	S 1st	

DEATHS

Registered in the Town of Grantham for the year ending December 31, 1972

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age	Place of Birth	Sex	Color	Single, Married, Widowed	Occupation	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Feb. 5	Hanover	Harold J. Hastings	62	N. H.	M	W	D	Laborer	Willis Hastings	Laura Crockett
May 30	Hartford, Vt.	Fred A. Kidder	78	N. H.	M	W	M	Farmer	Rupert Kidder	Mary Horton
June 12	Hanover	Everett A. Hall	70	Vt.	M	W	M	Self Employed	George Hall	Mary Randall
July 18	Newport	John S. Holmes	76	Mass.	M	W	M	Laborer	Albion P. Holmes	Julia A. Fay

I hereby certify that the above returns are correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

B. JOEY HOLMES, Town Clerk

